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**ANNOUNCEMENT:** New Crime Scene van enters service at MPD

The Marietta Police Department Investigative Services Division is pleased to announce that a new "state of the art" crime scene van has been completed and is now available for response to major incidents. The former crime scene van was an aging, under equipped, and cramped 1987 Ford Econoline Van. It has been replaced with a 2004 Ford E350 chassis with a custom cargo box. The cargo area has been modeled into a mobile evidence collection and processing center. The crime lab inside provides running water, fingerprint processing ventilation, and room for the detectives and evidence technicians to work or interview witnesses. Exterior floodlights were installed to assist in processing crime scenes at night. The vehicle has storage for photographic, evidence collection, and fingerprinting supplies.

You are invited to tour/photograph the vehicle by contacting Detective Chris Weaver or Detective Chris Patrick at (770) 794-5350 or (770) 794-5270.

